Excise Aminadars.

15. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the names of the Aminadars in the service of the State in the Excise Department, the names of the localities, where each of them is now stationed and the period for which each of them is stationed there;

(b) why is it that the present Aminadar of Kunnamkulam is kept for such a long period there?

Mr. V. B. Vaidyanatha Ayyar.—(a) Vide list attached. (*Appendix IV.*)

(b) There is no special reason.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—From Appendix IV it is seen that Mr. P. R. Subrahmanya Ayyar alone except No. 1 at Malippuram is kept for 4 and odd years in a locality, Kunnamkulam; is it not necessary that he too is transferred? Is there any special reason that this man should be favoured?

Mr. V. B. Vaidyanatha Ayyar.—It is not a favour.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Is it not necessary that for the improvement of the service these people should be transferred from place to place?

Mr. V. B. Vaidyanatha Ayyar.—Certainly not.

Honorary Visitors to the Mental Hospital.

16. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the Honorary Visitors to the Mental Hospital with their special qualifications;

(b) has any of them any medical qualifications?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—(a) The following are the visitors:—

Officials.

(1) The Civil Surgeon, Trichur.
(2) The Commissioner of Police.
(3) The District Judge, Trichur.
(4) The District Magistrate.
(5) The Diwan Peishkar.
(6) The Director of Public Instruction.
(7) The Inspector of Schools.

Non-officials.

(1) M. R. Ry., T. S. Balarama Ayyar Avl.
(2) ,, T. S. Narayana Ayyar Avl.
(3) ,, K. Sangu Wariar Avl. (Resigned)
(4) ,, C. A. Ouseph Avl.
(5) ,, Kottiyattil Sankaran Velu Avl.
(6) The Chairman, Municipal Council, Trichur.

They have no special qualification.

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(b) Yes; the Civil Surgeon, Trichur.

Average daily attendance in Hospitals and Dispensaries.

17. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state the average daily attendance in each of the Hospitals and Dispensaries of the State for the years 1102 and 1103?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—A statement containing the information is appended. (*Vide Appendix V.*)

Staff for anti-rabic treatment.

18. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the names of the medical staff of the General Hospital, Ernakulam, in immediate charge of the anti-rabic treatment since the treatment was started here;

(b) the number of cases treated every year during the time of each of these officers and the number every year where money was realised from patients and the total amount realised every year;

(c) the total number of printed receipts for money given in the approved printed form every year by each of them;

(d) was any receipt granted by a medical officer in an unrecognised form recently brought to the notice of the Chief Medical and Sanitary Officer; if so, what action is taken in the matter?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—(a), (b) & (c). The information is contained in the statement appended. (*Vide Appendix VI.*)

(d) Yes; his conduct has been brought to the notice of the Government and the matter is under consideration.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Was any explanation taken from this officer about this receipt referred to in (d)?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—Yes.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—What was the explanation?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—He said that it was given at an irregular hour of the day, and the man was asked to come the next day during office hours and take a formal receipt. The man did not turn up.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Was this receipt taken to the officer the next day and a regular receipt received by that individual?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—The persons did not turn up.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—So he did not want a regular receipt?

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